To: Michelle DePass/DC/USEPA/US@EPA[]

From: Aileen Lee

**Sent:** Sun 7/25/2010 9:42:05 PM **Subject:** RE: Upcoming trip to Alaska

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Hi Michelle -

Good catching up with you the other day, and exciting to hear about EPA's innovative thinking on tribal relations

A copy of this memo just came across my desk – it outlines the 404C veto issue that I mentioned as top of mind for many of the communities in Bristol Bay. I believe it was sent to the Region 10 administrator, so perhaps you've already seen it

Have a good trip – watch out for the bugs this time of year!

## Aileen

From: DePass.Michelle@epamail.epa.gov [mailto:DePass.Michelle@epamail.epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, July 20, 2010 6:44 PM

To: Aileen Lee Cc: Lakita Stewart

Subject: Re: Upcoming trip to Alaska

## Aileen!

So great to hear from you. I am well, and would love to talk with you tomorrow or Thursday. Lakita will set it up.

Congratulations on the EGA presidency! Well deserved. Speak soon, Michelle

From: Aileen Lee [Aileen.Lee@moore.org]

Sent: 07/19/2010 09:50 AM MST

To: Michelle DePass

Subject: Upcoming trip to Alaska

Hi Michelle -

I hope this note finds you happy and well in DC

I understand that you will soon be making the rounds in Alaska, meeting with folks on the Bristol Bay issue among others.

As you can imagine, the folks in the native and commercial fishing communities in the Bay are anticipating EPA's visit with great excitement (though I worry, with potentially unrealistic expectations about the potential outcomes). I'm sure you have heard from many resources on the issues, but if you would be interested in a brief chat before your trip please let me know. Would be happy to share some perspectives, or connect you directly to local resources that can be helpful.

Heard from Danielle that you might be able to join us this fall at Asilomar – hope we'll have a chance to see you there!

Best,

Aileen

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